Fair and Cooler Tonight: Thursday

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WINCHESTER, KENTUCKY. WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1910.

Courtroom is Usually Crowded With 300 acres, \$1, natural love and affecof teh Witnesses.

Tuesday the court room was almost crowded with citizens interested ir. the outcome of the Claiborne Lisle will ease. Most of the crowd was composed of ladies, friends and acquaintances of both sides and so interested was every one in the testimony that quiet prevailed.

Immediately after Ben Duckworth completed his testimony the contestants called the defendant's witnesses on cross examination. This is a move rarely made by contestants and some time was consumed in arguing this

Mrs. Roger Eades, Mrs. Tracy, and Mrs. Minerva Hodgkin had been called and when adjournment was taker

Mrs. Hodgkin was on the stand.

Judge Walker motified the jury Tuesday afternon to come prepared to stay over night. He will hold night sessions from now until the trial is completed and hopes to finish by Saturday.

Mrs. Roger Eades on cross examination testified: "I reside in Madisor county. My mother was the daughter of Claiborne Lisle. There were five of us children. When I was quite a child my mother died in Missouri The children and myself were brought back to Kentucky and for awhile lived with Minerva Hodgkin. While living there I had to do house work etc. I looked after grandfather while there. I went to school in the fal until I was 17 years old.

"I saw a great deal of grandfathe while I was at Mrs. Hodgkin's. have not lived there for six years. was at her home during my grand father's sickness. I was at the hous from 8:30 to 11 o'clock one morning When I was there he was weak anfrail. Mrs. . Hodgkin told me he wa changing fast and was growin childless. She also told me that th boys, Sam and Clay Hodgkin ha sold his hogs and should buy his some clothes, that he had no mone to buy them with.

"My grandfather never gave m anything only some clothes when was young. After I was grown h has given me nothing. He was no very friendly with me. He was man who when he liked any one h would talk to them. He talked free ly to the Hodgkin family. The reaso he did not ilke me I think, was be cause he did not feel friendly toward

"I heard Aunt Minerva Hodgki say that the Duckworth childre were extraval he presence of my grandfather. It was during th time I lived there that these conversa tions occurred about 15 years ag I never expressed my opinion on th subject and don't remember who wa present. I think the conversation grew out of some accounts he had t pay for the Duckworth children.

lived at aunt Minerva Hodgkin's unt I was 23 years old. Mrs. Hodgki had two daughters, but they neve did work like myself. My grandfath er was friendly but had very little t say to me. Since I have been man ried I have been to see him only four or five times. My grandfathe never objected to my marrying."

Mrs. Rosa Tracy was the next wit

"I am a sister of Mrs. Eades. came back with my sister from Mis souri. I was about 7 years old. When I came back I went to Mrs. Olivers to live. Last December I was worth about \$800 or \$1,000. I helped around the place when I lived with Mrs. Ol iver. I used to go to Mrs. Hodgkin's before I was married. I had a con versation with my grandfather with reference to my husband buying a farm. Mrs. Hodgkin was present and he was sick. I had gone to tell hin good-bye. He asked me if my husband had bought the farm. I told hnm he had not. We liked it but the house was not very good and he told me that was right. The land was al

so poor, he said. Cross-examination: "When I was there he had mind enough to know me. At that time Mr. Witherspoor was there and I saw nothing wrong with his mind. I moved to Madisor county last fall.

Redirect examination:

"Mrs. Hodgkin went into the room with me when I went in to see my grandfather and came out with me. She spoke to me about him being

testified that deeds were made by of their bills.

Claiborne Lisle as follows: S. Oliver, 240 acres for \$1

and other considerations. Sept. 10, 1907 to Samuel and Clay Hodgkin 154 acres for \$1, natural love and affection.

Sept. 10, 1907 to Thomas Lisle 389 acres, \$1, natural love and affection. Sept. 10, 1907, to Minerva Hodgkin Spectators Listening to estimony tion. This deed was not recorded to December, 1909.

Mrs. Minerva Hodgkin was then alled:

"I am a daughter of Claiborne Hodgkin. I never heard my father efer to Mr. Eubank or Mr. Ducknever heard him express his feeling, and \$200,000 was laid in ashes. oward my husband. My father conreyed me some land but I cannot renember where. It was a gift from niles from the city. I think it is vorth \$40 or \$50 per acre. The deed Miller and Best. vas not lodged for record until the lay the will was made. I asked him bout lodging the deed to this land for record once only, and he told me lot to worry about it, that my home vas alright. I asked him why he had not recorded my deed in 1907 when he deeded the land to the other children. I had the use of the land since '95.

"I don't know when my father desided to make a will. Mr. Winn came out to see him with Mr. Connie Lisle one day and the next day the will was nade. Mr. Connie Lisle and his wife left and Mr. Winn stayed all night He remained in the room with my father until 9 o'clock. I don't renember of hearing my father and Mr Winn talking about the will. The first knew about Mr. Winn staying that night was when he came to my roon nd said he believed he would stay is my father wanted some writing lone. When the writing was finished went into his room. He did not ay anything then about the will.

"Both of my daughters, two sons nd husband and my sister, Mrs. Olver were at home that day. Mr. Ton isle was at home on this day. This vas Sunday. Mr. Tom Lisle and Mrs liver were at the house for the purose of seeing our father. I do not emember whether or not Mr. Ton isle came back the next day othing was said by any of us or hat day about the will. I knew nothg about Mr. Winn coming down to ar home until either my son or Mi inn telephoned us that he was comg down. My father began failing health for a month or two before e will was made. He had not beer nfined to the house before he went bed. At the time the will was ide he was 89 years of age. His earing was very bad. During the st few months of his life he talked ery little. He was also childish. He ad been childish for a year. My ther was very close in money maters. He always treated my family ice and thought a great deal of me le always said the Duckworth chilren were hard to manage. I thinl e liked the Eubank children. One of be Enbank children lived with us and think he liked her though he had ery little to say to her. I don't hink he was prejudiced against any f his family. I never said to him nything about the Duckworth chil-

"I don't remember about him cryras very tender hearted. The reason think he was tender hearted was ecause when he had any trouble he ould seem troubled. I do not rerember that he cried when he refered to the Duckworth children. In ome instances he would fill up when eferring to the Eubank children."

Mrs. Hodgkin was on the stand when court adjourned for the day.

Lisle who had the money. lso testified.

sh their testimony Wednesady.

## NEW BAPTIST CHURCH.

The new Baptist church will have preaching Wednesday night. The saloon of Jones & Black, as reported. church meets atthe Fraternity Build- in Tuesday's News, but outside in ing. All are cordially iinvited.

Most physicians are first-class Mr. J. A. Boone, the County Clerk skin doctors-judging from the size the News that the cutting affray that socks."

Bourben County Town Visited By Conflagration the Loss From Which is Placed at Over \$150,000.

MILLERSBURG, Ky., Nov. 2-On Lisle. My mother's name was Hamp- of the most disastrous conflagration ton. My husband's name was Jesse in the history of Central Kentucky broke out here Tuesday morning and before the flames spent their force worth who married my sister. I property valued at between \$150,000

The fire, which is believed to have originated from sparks from a Louis ville and Nashville engine switching ny father. It is situated about 7 in the railroad yards, was first discovered in the commission house of

> Fanned by a strong wind the flames swept westward from this starting point, burning the following: J. T. Stewart's big tobacco ware-

house. R. B. Hutcheraft's big tobacco warehouse.

Colored M. E. church. L. and N. depot and water tank

Fifteen frame dwellings in the vieinity of the depot occupied by colored people.

The fire gained such headway that was feared that the entire town would be destroyed, and Paris was appealed to for aid.

The Paris fire department quickly esponded and on a special L. & N. rain was rushed to the scene. The warehouses destroyed were all

arge buildings and contained a large amount of grain, tobacco, etc. While no accurate figures can ye be obtained on the loss and the amount of insurance carried it is estimated that the total loss will be be

## RIDER WARNING.

ally covered by insurance.

tween \$150,000 and \$200,000, part-

PADUCAH, Ky., Nov. 2.-Dick Henry of Tuline, Livingston county. received a note accompanied by switches warning him to leave the Rosinne His Preitien on Account of county. He swore out a warrant against Pearl Barrick and James Beck, neighbors, charging them with sending the notice, which was signed "Lyon County Night Riders."

Townsend Gives Out Statement in Regard to Incidents Leading to the Quarrel and Cutting.

It was reported Wednesday morning that Will Henderson, who was cut by James Townsend Tuesday on North Main street was resting well and that it is now hoped that he was not fatally wounded. He was cut, twice, once near the heart and the other near the bowels. The lower wound is considered the more danng when visitors were present, but he gerous and it may be several days before it can be learned whether or not

his bowels have been perforated. When seen Wednesday morning Townsend seemed to be at himself more than he was Tuesday afternoon, but talked very little.

He said: "Henderson and myself have been neighbors and friends for some time. We were in Jones an Black's saloon at the time the difficul-The testimony of Mrs. Hodgkin was ty came up. We were kidding each oncluded Wednesday morning and other about politics in a friendly Mr. Clay Hodgkin followed. Mr. way and I never dreamed of his getfodgkin's testimony was substance ting mad. Several people came in he same as his mother's, Mrs. Hodg. and joined in the conversation, all in cin. Mr. Woodson McCord, who a friendly way. Mr. Black, who was he guardian of Jock Duckworth, now tending bar at the time noticed that leceased, testified with reference to Henderson was getting mad and told rouble that he had when he was ap- me I had better go out of the house. pointed guardian with Mr. Claiborne I obeyed and stepped out on the Miss Mimie Lisle, Mr. Waller out. I walked near the outside of boxes into the street. He had his Auditorium. The contestants will probably fin- boxes into the tsreet. He had his knife opened in his hands. He his me the second time and I thought he start on a week's visit to the country en a drink but were not drunk."

The cutting did not occur in the front of the building.

Report Corrected.

To the editor of The News. took place in this end of town was

in Jones & Black's place. We do not understand why such a

report was published, when the cutting was on Main street in view of at least 20 people.

We feel that an injustice has been done to us in publishing the affray as being in our place and will ask the News to make the correction. JONES & BLACK.

# DRUG STORE

Huntington, W. Va.

Mr. Charles A. Hosey, of Huntington, W. Va., bought at private sale Tuesday from the trustees in bankruptcy, Messrs. John A. Ryder and Lewis R. Hampton the drug store and stock of the E. E. Kidwell pharmacy in the Brown-Proctoria Hotel. The price paid was \$4,820. The prefor \$3,580 was not confirmed because it was not thre-fourths of the appraised valuation.

The store will be opened for busness Thursday morning with Mr. Ryder in charge. He will be glad to see all old customers again.

Mr. Hosey comes well recommended. He has conducted a successfu! business in Huntington and will undoubtedly succeed here. Mr. Hosey is a graduate in pharmacy of the University of Northern Ohio.

Mr. Hosey will not bring his family here for some little time on account of the illness of one of his children. But he hopes to be a citi zen of Winchester in the very near

# MANAGER OF

Illness and Another Man Will Take His Place.

hester Poultry Plant, received a let. South. ter from Mr. Newell Shuter, the man "Perhaps no writer of today has

## GALLANO.

itual horoscope free.

## TWO BIG VAUDEVILLE

pavement. Henderson followed me reels of moving pictures are also on Read and the South would be serious Quisenberry and Mrs. Ernest Bean the pavement and he walked up and offered by the management of the forsake it. But he never will. Once

His Gritty Heels.

had cut my neck and then I got my says the Chicago Tribune. "Have you knife out and cut him. We had tak- got everything?" asked Aunt Ann Peebles. He looked hastily through his valise. "No, by George!" he exclaimed. "I've forgot my sheet of sandpaper." "What does he want of that?" inquired Nephew Bill, as the old gentleman went to hunt it up. "He has to sandpaper his heels every other morning," explained Aunt Ann, "to We notice in yesterday's issue of keep from wearing holes through his

Registration By a Majority of Twenty-Three.

The Democrats still lead in the majority. Wednesday will be the Sold to Mr. Charles A. Hosey, of and 2 Independents had registered. The Democrats lead by 23. .....

Made Fame By Writing of Ken-pool's standing. tucky Life and Types.

The Cleveland, Leader, The Arkansas ared during that season, that such about completed. es a humorous sheet, was established at once."

It is, however, in such works as nently by the customs and the life f this Commonwealth in which hi early life was spent. Doubtless also it was here that he gathered his marrelous fund of humorous stories Mt. Sam Jett, owner of the Win- same embued with the lore of the old

for some time and that it would be lore of the old South and the new best to get some one in his place for rings true. He has written twenty afternoon sessions. This was the ing seven out of nine children that books, nearly every one of which is initial auction in Lexington under have been very ill with the same dis-Mr. Shuter is at his home in Bat vibrant with the magnetism and frag- "breaks" rules, which obtain at Cin lease. The oldest daughter was taktimere, Md., and is troubled with rance of Dixie. He expresses the heart trouble. Mr. Jett will have an- warm, quick heart-beat of the old other manager at the plant Wednes- plantation life and of the farm life succeeding it. Read is an inveterate story-teller, and his stories have ar ndescribable charm. Keep tab or him one hour at lunch or in the mos-Opened his initial performance at ordinary run of an evening's light he opera house Tuesday night to a talk, and you will find yourself to the fair-sized audience. His work to ev- good on twenty new stories, fresh erything was satisfactory to all ex- from the inexhaustible Read mint ceping his hypnotic program. His He will tell on an average of one subjects were slow in coming for- story every three minutes. They are ward. Wednesday night he will pre- all unpublished tales that suggest the sent his spiritualism and he will in-unpublished volumes his big heart has troduce new features to every part in store. For all of Opie Read in hiof his program. He will have new heart. He takes a sumple rural plot pictures. Those wishing to commun- a child heart might conceive and folicate with their dead friends can lows it through with the keenest come forward with their questions. sympathy and a wonderful truthful-He wants the ladies to get their spir-ness to the life and environment he depicts. Therein lies the charm of all he does. Truth, truth to the South of Suwanee river, of the Jucklins ACTS AT AUDITORIUM and of the waters of Caney Fork For richness of color, one could not One of the very best shows that well surpass a study in the mounhas been seen at the Auditorium this tains of Kentucky, Tennessee, Virseason is to appear there Wednesday rinia or North Carolina. For a lannight in Dixie Harris and Francis in quorous, dreamy day of matchless a comedy singing and talking hit, or ease and leisure, one could not match "a diamond in the rought," and the valleys farther south. Few know Bredan and Payne, the boys with the this life so well as Opie Read, and Xylophone, a novel and pleasing mus- none have so well expressed it. Inical act. Two exceptionally good deed, so virgin is this field that both this bill, which is the best bill yet losers should Read be tempted to the Southern dream, the witchery of the Southland's moonlight and the spell of the wild honey-suckle and the sweetbrier perfume get into the blood they burn like blue fire, like the madness of the blue rose, as long as life lasts. Read's senses are per-

> blue rose." HENRY C. WARNACK. He will lecture at the College chapel Friday night next.

Many a man has bene arrested for appearance still owes for the appearforgery simply because he tried to ance.-Detroit Free Press. make a name for himself.

# Democrats Lead in Supplemental Burley District Board Instructs the marriage of their sister, Miss

bacco Sent in.

supplemental registration by a good lowing a unanimous vote by the Dismajority. Wednesday will be the trict Board, President Clarence Le-Mr. Buckner was one of the civil last day and unless you register you Burley Tobacco Society pool at 19:45 construction of the L. & N. road here Bus formally declared off the 1910 engineers who had charge of the ber election. Up to Wednesday at o'clock Tuesday night, and a session He lived in this city for some time Brown-Proctoria Pharmacy Has Been noon 63 Democrats, 40 Republicans of the board that will live in industrial history closed two minutes be- congratulations. He is now Presifore midnight.

The pool had caused to be binding Brooklyn. with a resolution passed at a called meeting of the same body October 15 -a recommendation provoked by a ponie to sell by those on the outside.

The roll call of counties showed a unanimous vote declaring the pool the Church of Christ, Fairfax street. defunct, and with a single exception the Church of Christ, Fairfax street and the growner voted as a unit. The the growers voted as a unit. The name of the grower was not reported vious public sale to Mr. R. A. Scobee Although Born in Tennessee, He Has bere, but in Robertson county one man voted six acres in favor of the

and out warehouses, shipping, rentals remain at the home place. Although born in Tenessee and prizing, deliveries and housing. Tel Dr. Allen bought a horse from during his life a resident of several compel the prompt delivery of tobac- Mike Raker for \$175. States, Opic Read is more of a Ken- 30 (1909) still held by growers, the Mr. Will Powell who was badly

and it is in his stories dealing with chairman to see that the remainde of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Adams. Kentucky life and types that he has of the 1909 pooled tobacco in his "Aunt" Betty Cooper has gone on achieved his most remarkable suc- county is delivered as soon as possi- in extended visit to relatives in Madcesses. Mr. Read moved early from ble, and if any grower leads him to ison county. such widely known publications as bacco, and any tobacco is not delive John W. Adams has his new kitchen

and conducted for years by Mr A report was made to the board Mrs. Joe Jones and children have undred and eleven hogsheads of to- near here. 'A Kentucky Colonel" that Mr. Resc naceo belonging to the society had drows that he was influenced pre-em een destroyed. It was stated in the Bush Bros. for \$66. eport that sparks from a railway enine had started the conflagration.

o meet again December 6.

mastered the negro dialect, and be- heads of 1909 pooled tobacco were Sunday with Mrs. Haggard's daughsold in Tuesda's auction at Lexing- ter, Mrs. Howard Piersall. health was in such a condition that the charm of Opic Read. His trans | C. 1. The District Board were inter to relatives here. he would be unable to return here lation of the poetry, color and folk sted spectators, and there was cinnati and Louisville sales. The tobacco was offered bare of hogshead and recoopered after purchase.

Loose Leaf Sales.

Lexington opened up with eacl house selling both loose leaf sales o' 1910 crop, and hogshead sales under the Louisville Exchange rule overing the hogshead sales of the pool tobacco. There was light offerngs of 1910 crop of loose sales owng to the lack of handling season The prices ran from \$3 for commor \$15.75 for fair to good tobacco. There nas been little tobacco of any de-

## DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Mr. Samuel Berryman.

Mr. Samuel Berryman, aged vears, of near Red Bridge, this county, died Tuesday night after an ill-

less of typhoid pneumonia. Mr. Berryman was of one of the oldest and most respected families of the county. He was twice married and has a number of children who survive by his first marriage. He STRAYED OR STOLEN-Monday was only married the second time bout a year ago to Miss Haggard

who survives. The funeral services will be conducted at the Pharis Hill church Thursday morning at 10 o'clock by Elder Harlow. Burial in the Winchester cemetery at 1 p. m.

The following will act as pell-bearers: Active-Robert. Berryman, FOR RENT-A 5-room cottage on Oliphant Befryman, Elmer Berryman, Eugene Berryman, Samuel Jonmeated with the breath of the South's es and Claude Jones. Honorary-George Hunt, Thos.

> Nickelberry Powell and J. H. Bush. Unpaid For. Many a man who has a prosperous

SOCIETY

2 CENTS A COPY, 10 CENTS A WEEK

Marriage Announced.

The following announcement has een received here:

"Mr. and Mrs. William Elmer Harmon have the honour of announcing County Chairmen to Have All To- Dickinson Buckner on Saturday, the first of October, one thousand, nine hundred and ten at the Church of the LEXINGTON, Ky., Nov. 2 .- Fol- Atonement Znogue, Long Island, New

dent of Prospect Park Bank at

### CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Elder J. W. Harding will preach at

### RUCKERVILLE.

Mr. Wm. Ragland is conducting a livery stable in Winchester. Mrs. Preceding the vote on the pool Ragland has not gone yet, but will members reported upon tobacco in go in the near future. Their son will

tuckian than anything else for it was following resolution was passed: hurt by being thrown from a horse in Kentucky that his career began "That we instruct each county is improving, but is still at the home

his native State and began a news- believe that he will not deliver his Mr. Andy Baber, of Madison counpaper in Franklin, Ky. It was here tobacco, to take legal steps at once; ty, attended the funeral and burial of that he laid the foundations for his and, further, should there come a his brother-in-law, Henry Cooper and wnoderful journalistic success with good reason for bandling the old to- visited Mr. Cooper's family last week.

Traveler. The last named paper egal steps as may be necessary to W. A. Stephens and Joseph Epperwhich secured a national reputation secure the delivery of same be taken son are working on their new kitchen and dining room.

hat in a fire at Millersburg three returned home after visiting relatives

J. W. Epperson bought a mule from Mr. and Mrs. Fielder Adams and

shildren visited relatives at Bloom-At 11:48 p. m. the board adjourned ingdale Saturday night and Sudnay. Mrs. Scott Haggard and daughter, Three hundred and sixteen hogs- Miss Lizzie, spent from Friday until

on warehouses by the Burley Tobac- Mrs. Maggie Johnson and daughter so Society. The average was \$11.30 and grandson returned to their home ager Wednesday stating that ; his told the stories of the South with and the range \$7 for F. 3 to \$18 for in Texas after a three months visit

large crowd of others at morning and children are ill with fever, this maken ill away from home and is at the nome of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Adams. Robert Baker visited his uncle

> iew Sunday. Mrs. Eliza Pace who was taken ill at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Cooper returned to her home in Winhester last week.

> Richard Williams' family near Pilot

Died. October 25th of typhoid fever, Heury Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Cooper, aged 15 years and seven months. The funeral was non-descript houseburnt "stuff" to preached the following day at the church here by Rev. M. P. Lowery and burial in the family lot at the eided merit sent to this market st Brock graveyard. The many beautiful flowers showed hte esteem the deceased and family were held in. It had only been eleven days since the little girl had died. The sympathy of the comunity goes out to the family n their dark hours of trouble.

70 Oh, the sorrow we've experienced, Since the loss of our dear son, But we yield to God in Heaven. He knoweth best His will be done.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

night, October 31st, black horse 10 years old, 1612 hands high, saddler thin mane and tail, from Phillips farm on Pretty Run pike. Reward for information leading to his recovery. THOS. F. WILLS, R. R. 1. or Woodson McCord, chief of po-

Cook avenue with gas. Apply to Miss Laura Ecton, Home 11-2-3t No. 13.

Gordon, B. F. Hughes, Wm. Judy, FOR RENT-Three rooms and hall with gas. Suitable for light housekeeping. Apply C. C. Robbins, News office. 11-2-3t.

> WANTED-Situation by experienced cook. Address M. S. No. 12 Third street, Winchester, Ky. 11-2-1t